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(CAM #708584-999177)

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 AND § 1.97(d)

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Sir:

In accordance with the continuing duty of disclosure imposed by 37 C.F.R. §1.56 to inform the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of all references coming to the attention of each individual associated with the filing and prosecution of the subject application which are or may be material to the patentability of any claim of the application, Attorneys for Applicant respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to the reference EM listed on the attached List of References Cited by Applicant. A copy of this reference is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner review the listed reference and that this reference be made of record in the file history of the application. Identification of the listed reference is not meant to be construed as an admission of Applicant or Attorneys for Applicant that such reference is available as "prior art" against the subject application.

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The reference listed on the attached List of References Cited by Applicant was cited in a European Search dated May 30, 2005, which was issued in connection with European Patent Application No. 01944267.2, which is related to the subject application. The EPO search also identified the following four references: WO 94/14976, published July 7, 1994; WO 96/10411, published April 11, 1996; Chu et al., 1994, "Adjuvant-free in vivo targeting. Antigen delivery by α<sub>2</sub>-macroglobulin enhances antibody formation," *J. Immunology* 152(4):1538-1545; and Binder et al., 2001, "Adjuvanticity of α<sub>2</sub>-macroglobulin, an independent ligand for the heat shock protein receptor CD91," *J. Immunology* 166:4968-4972. Each of these references has already been disclosed in an Information Disclosure Statement filed in the subject application. Specifically, these references were disclosed in Information Disclosure Statements that were filed on on September 25, 2001 and on July 30, 2003, respectively. A copy of the May 30, 2005 search report is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

Each item of information contained in this Supplemental Information

Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing date of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d), Applicants believe that a fee of \$180.00 is due in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. Please charge this fee to Jones Day deposit account no. 50-3013.

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